# BEST SPORTING PAGE IN NEW YORK

EDITED BY ROBERT EDGREN



Backers of Carl Morris of Sapulpa, Okla., Picking Out Softest Kind of Opponen: for Him.

backers of Carl Morris must tainly are keeping little Carl safe from all harm. In selecting opponents for the Sapulpa "White Hope" they have gone through the cold storage department of the heavy weight class with fine, discriminating care. Each ex-fighter is gently poked in the ribs to see If he is ripe enough. Only the softest of the soft will do. And the curious thing of it all is that they are getting

the money in large, Juley chunks, and Oklahoma is as wildly enthusiastic over

Morris after each knockout as if he had

really done something. Any good middleweight could have gone through the same list of has-beens with at least equal dispatch. A middle weight like Frank Klaus (Oh, you wal-loping Klaus') would have finished poor fat old Mike Schreck in a round or less.

And yet they build arenas for Morris and his tender tid-bits just as they might build arenas for a real world's

championship battle. They are nursing Morris along, perhaps, taking no chances and gradually teaching him the game. He is big strong, willing. It is quite possible he may become a great fighter in course of time. Oklahoma is a long way from here. I haven't seen Morris. I don't know whether there is real stuff in him or not. Out in Oklahoma they think

But if he is anything like a real fighter it's time for him to do some real fighting. His backers refuse to let him fight Jim Barry or Jim Flynn-two men Giants intend to do in the way of the who don't class as champions by any team work that will lead them, as Chief who don't class as champions by any means. Perhaps they are still searching Mayers says, to the old "pre-knuckle." keep going and before the first base-the cold storage reserves. Perhaps they Within the last week McGraw has will drag out poor old Peter Maher added a new feature to the old hit and plate Merkle made a beautiful slide and Oklahoma, Peter's record, ten or fifteen years ago, was a famous one, and would make good reading in the columns of the Sapulpa paper. If Morris knocked out Peter he would attain to great heights of glory-in Oklahoma. After Peter he might fight John L. Sullivan, Jim Corbett, Bob Fitz-simmons, Charlie Mitchell, Jake Kilrain, Gus Ruhlin and Tom Sharkey. ouldn't a line of K. O.'s appended to that list look fine in print? But I for-get.-Tom Sharkey says he is in train-ing. There might be some risk there.

printed, would show the public that fice to steal third. Bridwell, who was at is more genuine feeling in men of the a little puzzled at McGraw who was sporting world than some people give watching him out of the corner of his credit for. Here's the letter; Mr. R. Edgren, Eve. World:

Friend Bob-I saw that the clubs of the city were organizing a Bene-fit for the sufferers of the disas-terous fire of the 25th March, and I desire to offer my services, or finan-cial support to their aid, If you can get Corbett or McCoy to go a short bout with me, or else some good heavyweight, I will do my best to help the cause along. I would also suggest that if Madison Square Garden, or some other large building,
was engaged for the night, that the
house would be packed, as the sympathy of the people is intense.
Yours very truly,
THOMAS J. SHAJIKEY.

ANY boxing clubs have volun-M ANY Boxing claus have voices the teered benefits, and will hold shows and turn the gross receipts over to the fund. Little K. O. Brown had about \$100 worth of photos taken, and is selling them, in person, taken, and its selling them, in person, at the various clubs. He expects to have elected it. C. Norton, 'II, to succeed J. R. Robinson, 'II, as captain, to show that the feeling of sympathy isn't confined to tisses who live right in New York, here is a letter from a gentleman connected with the United States Navy;

I. S. S. Hanneck.

States Navy:

U. S. S. Hancock,

Navy Yard, N. Y. March 27.

Dear Bob-1 take pleasure in offerthe services of Jeff Davis (who is
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## SENDING "DEAD ONES" BACK INTO PUGILISTIC GRAVE MORRIS'S SPECIALTY



## Giants Use Variation Of "Hit and Run" Play With Great Success

Instead of Slamming It Out, With a Man on Second,

Batter Bunts.

Atlanta, Ga., March 30.

BY BOZEMAN BULGER, the Tram.)

HE real san of spring has begun to rise on the diamond and with it comes a suggestion of what the run play that bids fair to upset the run play that bids fair to upset the was safe.

Was safe.

Otto Jordan, manager of the Atlanta weeks after the trigger is pulled in team, opened his eyes in wonder. "Now let me tell you something," he said to players and scribes around him; "that play looked like an accident or a piece play looked like an accident or a piece.

Was safe.

Otto Jordan, manager of the Atlanta wonder. "Now let me tell you something," he said to players and scribes around him; "that play is a wonder. It's a new one, too, I guess that is about the first time that play looked like an accident or a piece. play looked like an accident or a piece of luck, but when it was repeated three times that was the office to begin asking questions.

The play is a variation of the old hit and he smiled. and run from second, the change being that a bunt is used instead of a strong slash at the ball.

Bridwell and Merkle worked it as perfectly vasterday as haves and Merkle worked to the pitcher is in a peculiar fix. If he

fectly yesterday as Devore and Meif second when McGraw gave him the ofighting men have hearts and that there bat, had the sign to bunt and he looked

> ewer to the look of inquiry, and the and catch the runne swer to the look of inquiry, and the shortstop knew that the manager had a reason. He promptly went through with his end of the scheme. Merkie got a flying start and was almost at third base before the ball came over and Bridwell bunted. The pitcher secthird base before the ball came over and Bridwell bunted. The pitcher seeing there was no chance to catch Merkle at third and thinking that Merkle would stop at that base, whirted and threw the ball to first. But Merkle did not stop. McGraw yelled at him to away with it.

Washington Players Pick Giants to Win National League Flag.

ATLANTA, March 20.—The whole ashington team was out to see the me between the Glants and Atlantas, and everyone of them is of the opinion that the Glants ought to win in the National League during

he coming season.
"McGraw has a set of hard hitter: is pretty hard to beat a combination like that. I think it is purely a ques-tion of pitching. If the New York pitchers keep going as they are now it ought to be easy."

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while the matchmakers of clubs at
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Western fighter, and Phil Brock. McWestern fighter, and Phil Brock. McFarland's next bout will be with Tommy
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and catch the runner between third and
arrive in town on Saturday.

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#### News and Gossip Two Brooklyn Picked Up Around Sporting Circuit

THE COLUMBIA WRESTLING TEAM

Teams to Play At Knoxville Board of Five KNOXVILLE, Tenn., March 10. Manager Bill Dahlen and his aggrega-

tion of hig league ball tossers fro Brooklyn arrived here to-day and will play two games during their short U. S. S. Hancock,
Navy Yard, N. V. March 27.

Dear Bob—I take pleasure in offerthe services of Jeff Davis (who is
more known by the mame of Salor
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at the benefit for the fire sufferers
any night except the 6th and 12th of
April. Yours 17919. J. A. JUID.
Salor Davis is one of the Navy's
Champions, and a very good thater
His generous offer should be accepted
by one of the clubs interested in that
good work.

CEORGE HACKENSCHMDT, the
Russian Lion, is matched to mee
Tank Gotch for the world
wrestling championship on next Labor
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wrestling for nothing.

The Russian sailed for England yesterday on the Oceanic.

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Billiard League to night.



With Fight Offers

Packey's Services Sought for Big Bouts in This Coun-

try and England.

BY JOHN POLLOCK.

fighter, is getting more offers from the fight promoters both in other scrapper in the business. The Hugh Melntosh of the Olympia Club of London want him to fight Matt Wells, the English lightweighs cham-pion; Jimmy Coffroth is trying to get him for a battle with Ad. Wolgast, the

Monte Attell of California and Jimmy Dunn of this city will have it out in a signound bout before the Northern A. C. of Pittsburg on April 15. Attel has been doing some great flighting in that city, and has iscome very popular with the fight fam.

In a letter to the writer Al Lippe, who is now in Paris with ilarry Lawis, says that the boxing game in both England and Paris is in a more florrishing condition than it has been for jean. Lippe says the both between Harry Lawis substituted.

Now Controls Tiger Football

PRINCETON, March 30.-There is

Carlton Club

\$2.00

York or Brooklyn shops. It's there.

Dalu Beaten in Last Game, but Retains Title

John Daly is still the three-cushic play two games during last and start in this city. Both games will be between Dahlen's men, who will be split up into two teams. An effort was made to get together some ball players made to get together some ball players.

WARNER HATS In London The Smart Set Are Members of the Best reason in the world for naming this low crown "broad brim Derby" thusly. It's as exclusive as the club that lent its name. Gaze in the windows of any of my ten New

### Chattanooga Game Cree, Hartzel and Roach Are Will Prove Mettle

after the game with the Birming-ham Club, and this afternoon will tackle the local Southern League team. The latter is considered the favorite for the pennant, and ac-cording to previous games should give the New 10rkers a close bat-tle, and what Chases men can do against them will show pretty clearly how good are the Hillton

only will Cree be sent for, but so will Jack Warhop, who in the games up North has been twirling great ball. Chase believes that the diminutive connectable numaiment has nevertheless was pitcher will be just the fellow to fool leters discussed of Young O'Bries in the search of the letters discussed of Young O'Bries in the search of the letters discussed of Young O'Bries in the search of the letters discussed of Young O'Bries in the search of Youn need he no fear that there is anything the matter with the other slabmen. Every man is in prime shape now and stab for the job as shortstop, and in some particulars he looks like the fellow who ought to be there. Otts Johnson has been working around third so well that it does not seem possible that he lay Fisher.

will be removed, particularly if he can continue to wallop the ball. Three cork-CHAMPION ATTELL WITHIN HALF POUND OF WEIGHT.

and be strong enough to stand off a Cincinnati club in that three-game series youriful comer? This question is causing speculation wherever the boxing which begins Saturday. Cree, who is now with the Yannigans on the way fans gather. For the first time in five North, will be sent for to-day and told years Attell is making weight. He has to meet the regulars at Cincinnati, invaded the lightweight class, and There, in all likelihood, he will be tried sometimes the welterweight class, and with success, but now he is taking it is there he will open the season. It off at least four pounds in order to comply with the conditions of his match with Burns at the National Sporting

Attell weighed in yesterday at Johnright, is as fine an outfit as can be gotten together. Every man is a good hitter, and as base runners there are few their equal. ButCree has to get in that batting order, and just where he will

Joe Thomas of California and Bill McKinnon, the big stranging figure of Roxbury, Mass., have the Reds is shown by the way he is just signed articles of agreement calling fo. a fifteen round bout to take place at the Queen City A. C. of Marchester, S. H., on the taket

AMUSEMENTS. NEW YORK'S LEADING THEATERS EMPIRE B'way, 40th 5t. Eve. at 5. b. Matiners Saturday Only, 2.15. Parswell Appearance in His Pamous 1919.

the Candidates for

the Position.

Chattanooga, March 30.

S The Evening World has told A since the Hilltope began their training in the South for the cam-paign ahead, the question of who will

make up the left side of the infield is

causing Manager Hal Chase no little

nost keen, but not until the boy man-

ager has looked over what Birdle Cree

can do will all the jobs be definitely set-

Roy Hartzel has been making a bold stab for the job as shortstop, and in some particulars he looks like the fellow

ing good men will be left then to try

for the short position if Otis makes third. They are Cree, Hartzel and

Roach. Cree will get his main tryout

when the Hilltops line up against the

at short, and if he can get away with it,

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If Johnson Makes Third Hilltops Have Three Good Men for Shortstop

of Highlanders.
CHATTANOOGA, March 30. The
Hilliops came here last evening
after the game with the Birming-

son's readhouse at 1884 pounds. He boxed ten rounds with his sparring partners and seemed as fast and as strong as ever. He said he never felt He has fully recovered from etart is not even yet settled in the brain better. He has fully recovered from the infury he sustained in his bout with Tommy Kilbane. He is confident that Chase intends putting forth his that he will be able to defeat Burns.

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N. Y. A. C. to Hold Three-Day Golf Tourney in May

Fox Hills Club's Links to Be Scene of Organization's

Debut in Game.

The New York Athletic Club is about o break into golf, as has been taked of for more than a year. The organiza-tion has arranged to hold a tournament in May, which it is intended shalf be an annual affair. The Fox Hills Club has tendered its course and the offer has been accepted. A three-day contest is outlined, but that matter will depend wholly upon the number of entries re-

Fortunately, the third week in May has been chosen, which is the only blank time on the golfing calendar, until the middle of July. There will be at least two events included-the club cham-Monship and a competition for seniors. The latter will be open to men past fifty years old, the limit being five years less than in the seniors tournament at

If the new fixture goes as well as is foreshadowed, the New York Athletic lub will ultimately make some provision for its growing golfing contingent. either by securing special privileges at some club or constructing a links of its own. Its members are so largely identi-fied with country clubs that such neces-sity has been staved off for a long time.

Otto and Hirst Box Draw.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 30.— Young Otto of New York and Jos Hirst of Philadelphia whirled through six rounds to a draw at the Armory A. A. smoker, and Junmy Dunn and Young O'Leary of New York also boxed a six-round draw. Dillon Knocks Out White.

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